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In claim 26, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 25" with -- claim 23 --.
In claim 27, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 26" with -- claim 23 --.
In claim 28, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 26" with -- claim 23 --.
In claim 29, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 26" with -- claim 23 --.
In claim 31, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 26" with -- claim 23 --.
In claim 32, line 1, replace "any one of claims 23 to 26" with -- claim 23 --.
Cancel claims 41 through 51 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the dependency of the claims to preclude a rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, fifth paragraph, which provides in part that "[a] multiple dependent claim shall not serve as a basis for any other multiple dependent claim." No new matter has been added by the above amendments.

Applicant submits that all of the claims are now in condition for examination, which action is requested. Filed herewith is a check in payment of the excess claims fees required by the above amendments and a Petition for Automatic Extension with the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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